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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.136(a))

1.	This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of	2	_months to
respond to the	Office Action dated 10/22/2003.		

2. Applicant is

> (X) other than a small entity.

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3.	Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):							
	Extension (months) [] one month [X] two months [] three months [] four months [] five months	Fee for other than small entity \$ 110.00 \$ 420.00 \$ 950.00 \$ 1,480.00 \$ 2,010.00		Fee for small entity \$ 55.000 \$ 210.00 \$ 475.00 \$ 740.00 \$ 1,005.00				
			Fee .	\$420.00				
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.								
() An extension for months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of solution is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.								
Extension fee due with this request								
4. Extended period for response Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on <u>March 22, 2004</u> .								
5. Fee Payment								
	() Attached is a check in the sum () Charge Account 501668 credit for any excess fee paid.	of \$0.00 for any additional extensi	on and/o	r fee required or				
(X) Charge fee or \$420.00 to Account No. 501668. This is a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.								
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